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For: WEIGHTED FAIR QUEUE HAVING ADJUSTABLE SCALING FACTOR

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, claims and abstract, totaling 38 pages.
- ☒ Formal Drawings totaling 8 pages.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Assignment of the invention to **International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504.**
- ☒ Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (PTO FORM-1595).
- ☒ PTO FORM-1449 together with 13 cited references.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

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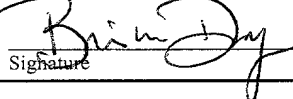
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